

Listing of Claims:

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3. (Currently Amended) A flexible heat and pressure consolidated laminate, comprising in superimposed relationship:

\_\_\_\_\_ a flexible backing layer containing a polyester impregnated sheet;

\_\_\_\_\_ a decorative layer consisting essentially of a leather material;

\_\_\_\_\_ a flexible overlay bonded to said decorative layer, consisting ~~The flexible heat and pressure consolidated laminate of claim 2 wherein said flexible overlay consists of at least one sheet of alpha cellulose paper impregnated with a resin that remains substantially flexible after curing;~~

\_\_\_\_\_ wherein said layers have been exposed, simultaneously, to temperature between 110° C and 250° C and pressure between 100 PSI and 450 PSI.

Claim 4. (cancelled)

5. (Original) A flexible heat and pressure consolidated laminate, comprising in superimposed relationship:

a flexible backing layer containing a polyester impregnated sheet;

a decorative layer consisting essentially of a leather material, said leather material is bonded leather with a sheet thickness in the range of from about .2 mm to about 4 mm; and

a flexible overlay bonded to said decorative layer, said flexible overlay consists of at least one sheet of alpha cellulose paper impregnated with a resin that remains substantially flexible after curing;

wherein said layers have been exposed, simultaneously, to temperature between 110° C and 250° C and pressure between 100 PSI and 450 PSI.

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20. (New) A heat and pressure consolidated laminate, comprising in superimposed relationship:

a flexible backing layer containing a polyester impregnated sheet;

a decorative layer consisting essentially of a leather material; and

a flexible overlay bonded to said decorative layer, said flexible overlay consists of at least one sheet of alpha cellulose paper impregnated with a resin that remains flexible after curing.

21. (New) The laminate of claim 20, wherein the flexible backing layer comprises a cellulosic material.

22. (New) The laminate of claim 20, wherein the decorative layer consists essentially of bonded leather.